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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT SEATTLE

10 DONALD CAMERON JONES,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

14 Defendant.

Case No. C06-320RSL

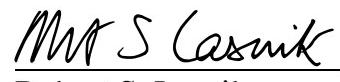
ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR
AN EXTENSION; DENYING
REQUEST FOR EARLY DEPOSITION

15 This matter comes before the Court on a motion filed by defendant for an extension of
16 time, until June 26, 2006, to file its answer to plaintiff's complaint. (Dkt. #7). The United
17 States has not requested a prior extension and has shown good cause for an extension.
18 Accordingly, the motion is GRANTED and the United States shall file its answer no later than
19 June 26, 2006.

20 Plaintiff has requested to take the deposition of plaintiff's treating physician prior to
21 providing his initial disclosures. Plaintiff's request is denied because he should be able to
22 provide initial disclosures without the deposition, he can supplement his disclosures later if
23 necessary, and because plaintiff has not shown good cause for deviating from the sequence of

1 discovery set forth in Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(d).

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3 DATED this 17th day of May, 2006.

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7 Robert S. Lasnik
8 United States District Judge

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